JOHN SAMBERG (Bar No. 10828) jsamberg@wrslawyers.com WOLF, RIFKIN, SHAPIRO, SCHULMAN & RABKIN, LLP 3773 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 590 South Las Vegas, Nevada 89169 3 Telephone: (702) 341-5200 4 Facsimile: (702) 341-5300 5 Attorneys for Creditor Carolyn Stark 6 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 7 8 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 9 In Re: Case No. 23-50403-hlb 10 11 **CARL LACKEY** Chapter 7 Debtor. EX PARTE MOTION FOR ORDER 12 **AUTHORIZING RULE 2004** 13 **EXAMINATIONS** 14 INO HEARING REOUIREDI 15 Carolyn Stark, Creditor herein, (the "Movant") by and through her attorney, WOLF, 16 RIFKIN, SHAPIRO, SCHULMAN & RABKIN, LLP., hereby submit her ex parte motion (the 17 "Motion") for the examinations of: 18 Larry Johnson – he is the beneficiary of a GoFundMe page created for the benefit a) 19 of the Debtor. However, this information is not listed in the Debtor's Schedules, and an 20 examination is necessary to determine whether the GoFundMe page receipts and/or distributions 21 should have been scheduled, as they might be considered property of the Estate. 22 b) Science First, LLC – this entity is the organizer of a GoFundMe page created for 23 the benefit of the Debtor. However, this information is not listed in the Debtor's Schedules, and an 24 examination is necessary to determine whether the GoFundMe page receipts and/or distributions 25 should have been scheduled, as they might be considered property of the Estate. 26 Heather Lackey – she is the Debtor's wife, none of whose financial information is c) 27 provided in the Debtor's Schedules. Some or all of her assets may include community property of 28 the Debtor and therefore could potentially be property of the Estate. That information should have

been disclosed. Additionally, she is the President of a corporation by the name of Myotis, Inc; and

d) Myotis, Inc., a Nevada Corporation – this is a business operated by the Debtor's wife, advertising itself as a "family business". However, no information about this business is provided in the Schedules, and it is uncertain whether some or all of the assets of the corporation may be assets of the Estate.

These examinations pertain to the Debtor's assets and liabilities, financial statements, and other information, set forth in the Debtor's Schedules.

In Support of her Motion, Movant, respectfully represents as follows:

- 1. The Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure ("Fed.R.Bankr.P.") provide that an examination may be secured by an exparte motion. Fed.R.Bank.P.2004(a).
- 2. Upon motion of any party-in-interest, the Court may order the examination of any entity, and the attendance of any entity for examination and for production of documents may be compelled as provided in Fed.R.Bankr.P.9016 for the attendance of a witness at a hearing or trial. Fed.R.Bankr.P.2004(a)(c).
- 3. Local Rule 2004(b) for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Nevada ("Local Rules") provides that orders for examination may be signed by the clerk if the date set for examination is more than fourteen (14) days from the date such motion is filed.
- 4. In compliance with Local Rule 2004(b), the proposed date for the requested examination is more than fourteen (14) days from the date this motion was filed.
- 5. Rule 2004(c) of the Local Rules provides that the production of documents may be obtained via subpoena as provided by Fed.R.Civ.P. 45(a)(1)(C) as adopted by Fed.R.Bankr.P. 9016.
- 6. Movant request that the Rule 2004 Examinations of Larry Johnson, Science First, LLC., Heather Lackey, and Myotis, Inc., be conducted on or after August 25, 2023, beginning at 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. respectively, or such other time as agreed to by the parties and their counsel, at Sunshine Litigation Services and Technologies., located at 151 Country Estates Circle, Reno, Nevada 89511. A copy of the proposed subpoenas (the

1	1 <u>LIST OF EXHIBITS</u>	
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3	Exhibit 1	Proposed Order
4	Exhibit 2	Proposed Subpoenas for Rule 2004 Examinations of Larry Johnson, Science First, LLC., Heather Lackey, and Myotis, Inc.
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** I hereby certify that on this 21th day of July, 2023, a true and correct copy of **EX PARTE** MOTION FOR ORDER AUTHORIZING RULE 2004 EXAMINATIONS was served via the United States Bankruptcy Court CM/ECF system on all parties or persons requiring notice. By /s/ Carolyn Bott Carolyn Bott, an Employee of WOLF, RIFKIN, SHAPIRO, SCHULMAN & RABKIN, LLP